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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW, Room TWB-204
Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: Ex parte presentation: IB Docket No. 04-112 – Reporting Requirements of
U.S. Providers of International Telecommunications Services

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 5, 2011, Marybeth Banks and the undersigned, representing Sprint Nextel Corporation (“Sprint”), met with James Ball, David Krech, David Strickling, John Copes, and Mark Uretsky of the International Bureau to discuss the above-referenced proceeding. Although the Sprint representatives suggested that the reporting requirements of sections 43.61 and 43.82 of the Commission’s rules could be eliminated in their entirety or severely streamlined without damage to the public interest, they also indicated continuing support, in the alternative, for the position set forth in the Sprint written *ex parte* communication in this proceeding of April 20, 2006. That plan calls for the elimination of various reporting requirements, and their replacement with five annual reporting schedules as detailed in the Sprint 2006 letter.

The Sprint representatives urged that the Commission take immediate action in the Report and Order to be considered at the Commission’s next open meeting to eliminate the quarterly reports required under section 43.61(b). The Sprint representatives also noted that as regulatory fees for international bearer circuits are no longer based on the number of active 64-kbps circuits or their equivalent, this justification for the reporting requirements of section 43.82 no longer pertains.

In closing, the Sprint representatives noted their concern about access to the proprietary data contained in the traffic reports and the need to maintain confidentiality. They also noted their concern that with changes in technology from circuit-switched to IP-based communications, producing and compiling the type of data now presented in the section 43.61 reports will become more difficult and could generate even more significant costs for carriers if these requirements are maintained.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David A. Nall". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "David" being the most prominent.

David A. Nall

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CC: James Ball (by email)
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